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PIKETBERG CAS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] states under oath in English

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I am a senior investigator at Independent Police Investigative Directorate Western Cape, 1<sup>st</sup> floor Fintrust building c/o mazuri and petrosa road Bellville. Tel. 021-941 4800.

2.

I am the investigating officer of Piketberg Cas [REDACTED] Inquest. It is alleged that on 2015-12-08 at about 09:05 the deceased was detained at Piketberg SAPS holding cells for domestic violence when he was found hanging against a holding cell burglar bar gate. He was certified dead at the scene and was later taken to Malmesbury forensic pathology services as per [REDACTED].

3.

Witness statements were obtained from SAPS officials who discovered death of the deceased and are filed in the docket. They allege that they found the deceased hanging himself inside a holding cell.

4.

A PM report was obtained and filed as per A20. It shows that the deceased died as a result of hanging.

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In light of the above evidence, there appears to be no criminal transgression or misconduct against any SAPS or MPS member. The deceased committed suicide and there are no signs of foul play.

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6.

Docket is hereby referred to DPP for a decision.

7.

I know and understand the contents of this statement.

I have no objections into taking the prescribed oath.

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I certify that the deponent knows and understands the contents of this statement and that the deponent has acknowledged that he knows and understands the contents thereon. This statement was sworn to before me and the deponent's signature was placed thereon in my presence at Bellville on 2016-03-31 at 08:00

[REDACTED]  
Commissioner of oath

[REDACTED]  
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IPID Rank: Senior investigator.